

How to find the latest Covid flight restrictions

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With Covid now present on every continent except Antarctica, travel restrictions for countries around the world are changing almost daily. Keeping tabs on everything is hard work, but if you want to know what the restrictions are for specific countries, there are some really good resources out there to make this easier.

1. Check the Notams!

We never thought we'd say it, but we are seeing these slowly starting to improve, with most countries issuing Notams containing specific information about exactly what kind of flights are allowed. Make sure to check the FIR ICAO code of the country (check [here](#) if you're unsure what code to use). Search the Notams using the updated FAA Notam Search site; or if you prefer the old-fashioned version, use [this site](#) instead.

2. UK Foreign and Commonwealth Office website

[Click here](#). The UK has eyes on the ground pretty much everywhere. Each country has a dedicated page, with a specific section on the coronavirus and the latest restrictions on inbound travel, which gets updated regularly. The focus is on the rules for UK travelers, but it's still very useful.

3. US website

[Click here](#). This US TravelStateGov website lists the Covid-related entry rules and requirements for all countries around the world, as published by the US Embassy in those countries. So pretty handy for US travelers.

4. OPSGROUP Dashboard

For more info on the latest travel and flight restrictions, OPSGROUP members can head over to the [Dashboard](#) and use the search function.

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ORZZ Iraq Today

Event

The religious pilgrimage Arbaeen takes place this year on Sep 27 and 28. Iraq are accepting foreign pilgrims, so traffic levels at ORBI/Baghdad can be expected to increase, and heightened security is likely during the days before and after the event.

KZZZ USA Today

Event

Due to the NBAA-BACE event, there will be special airspace procedures in place for the Las Vegas area from Oct 8-14. KLAS/Las Vegas, KHND/Henderson and KVGJ/North Las Vegas are all affected. You can read the procedures in full here. Parking will be limited, especially at KHND. Make sure you book your spot well in advance.

OEZZ Saudi Arabia Today

Risk

At least three explosive drones caused flight disruptions at OEAB/Abha in Southern Saudi Arabia on Sep 21. Aircraft in the OEJD/Jeddah FIR continue to be at risk from ballistic attacks at airports, and falling debris from air defences. Click the Safe Airspace link for a full briefing.

SAZZ Argentina Today

Hi David!
Welcome to the new look Members Dashboard. Here, you'll find all group content, and tools to help you plan and research.

To get started, use the search boxes to get all the group intel on an Airport, Country, or Topic.

One request: When you can, **please share what you know**. Take a moment to share a change or new risk with the group, and when you're back from a trip, file an Airport Spy report.

If we can help, just send the OpsGroup team a [little note](#).

Airport search
Type ICAO, IATA, or Airport Name ...

Country search
Type a country ...

Topic search
Type a topic, ask a question ...

Spy Report Rate and review an airport

Report news Share a change or new risk

Click [here](#) to head to the Dashboard.

If you're still stuck for an answer, ask other members in the group in the **#questions** channel, or shoot us an email and we'll see what we can dig up.

5. Travel within the EU

The EU has created a simple tool for us to check exactly what travel rules are currently in place for each European country – check it out.



Origin

Rest of the World

Transit(s)

Add a transit

Destination

Greece

Rest of the World

What are the rules if I go abroad from this country, and when I return from abroad?

Please check the travel advice provided by the Foreign Affairs Ministry of your country before starting your journey.

Greece

What are the rules to enter this country from outside an EU Member State or Schengen Associated country?

As of 14 May, travellers arriving in Greece are required to have a **negative PCR certificate** from a testing laboratory, for a Covid-19 test **taken no later than 72 hours before arrival**.

This test is mandatory for all non-DCC holders (including children over the age of 5), regardless of the epidemiological situation in the country of departure.

Proof of a negative PCR test is not required for all travellers that have completed their vaccination (i.e., 14 days have elapsed since the last vaccination, depending on the doses required) and hold a vaccination certificate.

Accepted vaccines are: *Pfizer BioNtech, Moderna, Astra Zeneca/Oxford, Novavax, Johnson + Johnson/Janssen, Sinovac Biotech, Gamaleya (Sputnik), Cansino Biologics, Sinopharm.*

Proof of a negative PCR test is also not required if the traveller was tested positive and at least 20 days have elapsed since the first positive result. This can be proved either by presenting a positive PCR molecular or an antigen test result performed by an authorized laboratory, or a medical certificate confirming that the holder was tested positive with SARS-CoV-2 virus infection. The validity of this certificate is 9 months.

[Click here to open the EU tool.](#)